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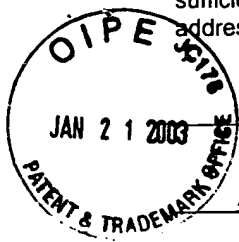
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Tomoyasu Katsuyama et al.

Serial No. 09/609,502

Filing Date: July 3, 2000

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to the Office Action of August 27, 2002 for a period of 2 months.

- ☒ Applicant is:
☒ other than small entity

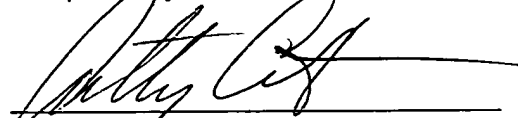
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Three Months	\$920	\$460
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Fee Payment

- ☒ Attached is a check for \$410 for the Petition fee.
- ☒ Charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.

Respectfully submitted,



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